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Submitted herewith is a replacement Figure 2 correcting the spelling of FIRST in block 580 and replacement Figure 4 in which CLK/CLKB has been removed. Approval is requested.

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<u>REMARKS</u>

In response to the above-noted Office Action, Applicant has amended the specification to provide reference characters not mentioned in the specification as noted by the Examiner at page 2 of the Action. Additionally, submitted herewith is a replacement sheet for Figure 2 in which a misspelled word has been corrected and Figure 4 in which CLK/CLKB has been removed.

Additionally, Claim 1 has been amended to remove the reference to "a plurality of banks" so that the claim refers only to first and second cell mats as specified in Figure 2.

Applicant notes the allowability of Claims 1-7. In this connection, although Applicant has amended Claim 1 responsive to the drawing objections set forth at page 3, paragraph 3 of the Action, Applicant submits that such amendment does not affect the patentability of the claim over the prior art.

In view of the foregoing, it is submitted that Claims 1-7 are in condition for allowance and such action is solicited at the earliest possible date. If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would be useful in moving the case forward, he is encouraged to contact the undersigned at (310) 207-3800.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R §§ 1.16 or 1.17, particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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